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*Inherit the Wind* symbolism.

A symbol is an object that represents an ABSTRACT idea.

For each quote, explain the object and the idea that is expressed.

**1.**

**“(An organ-grinder enters with a live monkey on a string. Hornbeck spies the monkey gleefully; he greets the monkey with arms outstretched.) (Lawrence and Lee 16)**

**Hornbeck:**

**Grandpa!”**

1. What is the symbolic object?

2. What idea does it represent?

3. What does it show about Hornbeck that he uses this symbol?

**2. “A man who wears a cathedral for a cloak, a church spire for a hat, whose tred has the legions of the Lion-Hearted!” (Lawrence and Lee 17)**

1. Whom is the man he is talking about?
2. How does a cloak made of a church represent this person?
3. Does Hornbeck like this person? How does the symbol show his opinion?
4. **“B. Cates: boy-Socrates, latter-day Dreyfus, Romeo with a biology book.” (Lawrence and Lee 32).**
5. Whom is Hornbeck talking about?
6. What aspects the person’s personality are represented by these symbols?
7. Does Hornbeck like this person? How does the symbol show us his opinion?
8. **“I am both Poles and the Equator, with no Temperate Zones in between.” (Lawrence and Lee 33).**
9. Who says this?
10. What idea do the Poles and Equator represent?
11. What does it tell us about this speaker’s personality?

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The pronoun we choose depends on if it is doing the action (Nominative case) or receiving the action (Accusative case).

Pronouns that perform actions include:

I, you, he, she, we, they. who

Example: They play the piano.

Pronouns that receive actions include:

Me, you, him/her, us, them, and whom

Example: The teacher played them like a fiddle.

For the following paragraph, fix any incorrect pronouns.

The last time I was in English class my teacher gave I a dirty look. I asked her who she was looking at. Between you and I, my teacher is a little crazy. She always wears purple sunglasses on she head. She assigns ridiculous amounts of homework for us, and us do not like it one bit. The next day she gave my classmates and me a present: Us have a night without assignments. But I still don’t trust she. And she doesn’t trust I either! Whom knows what that crazy lady will do next?!

**For the following pronouns, label them as either nominative (N) or accusative (A)**

1. **She**
2. **Me**
3. **Us**
4. **We**
5. **Them**
6. **Her**
7. **Him**
8. **They**
9. **I**
10. **Who**
11. **Whom**